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PROFESSIONALS PILLAGING CITY

Police Believe Gang of "Yeggs"
Are Here

Prisoner Evidently Is Experienced in
Ways of Crime and the
Police.

TWO MEN FRIGHTENED AWAY.

Has a band of safe blowers, burglars and thieves swooped down on Paducah.

This question is bothering the police, and every patrolman in the city is on the alert for prowlers. Not a saloon, grocery or business house of any description in the city is passed at night without a thorough investigation by the patrolmen. Chief Collins, alarmed by the repeated burglaries and recent battle between safe blowers and patrolmen, has issued orders for patrolmen to exercise particular caution, and to investigate every suspicious character.

This morning at 2 o'clock two white men were caught in the act of breaking into James Ward's saloon at Eleventh and Caldwell streets, and after a chase by Patrolmen Sanders and Clark, of the depot beat, they escaped. The patrolmen were coming into Caldwell street from Eleventh street and saw two shadows at the front door. They started forward and the shadows moved rapidly away. Two white men were seen, one of them hatless. A large gate in the rear leading into an alley had been conveniently left open and diving into the recesses of the alley, the fugitives slammed the gate shut on the fast coming patrolmen. A thorough search failed to discover the men.

Must Be Professional.

Charles Kellock, the safe blower who engaged with a companion in a pistol duel with Patrolmen Wood and Orr Monday morning after blowing the Denker safe at Eighth and Harris streets, is thought to be a professional. He shows by every move that he is one of experience. He will say nothing. For fear that his "pals" will try to get him out, Jailer Eaker has taken precautions and will be prepared for any attempt to liberate Kellock.

"Men of such characters are desperate enough to kill a jailer to rescue a 'pal,'" Chief Collins declared. "When we arrested those two eastern safe blowers and put them in Eddyville jail several years ago for safe-keeping, 'pals' entered, bound the jailer, and escaped with the prisoners."

Chief Collins is trying to secure some trace as to Kellock's record. He is sure he has a man who is wanted elsewhere.

Not Known in Memphis.

Memphis, March 13.—The local police department is without any information as to a man by the name of Kellock, but officers at the police station are of the opinion that the burglars surprised at their work in Paducah are very probably the same gang that operated in Memphis a short time ago.

Burglars, who were evidently professionals, attempted to blow open the safe at Sheibler & Co.'s, on Front street, only a few weeks ago, but left before they had completed the job, evidently having been frightened away by a passing policeman or night watchman. It was believed here that there were three men in the gang, and they were known to have left the city immediately after the attempt at the Sheibler store.

FELL DOWN STAIRS.

Stranger in Wrong House Breaks Through Glass Door.

Disturbed in his slumbers by a series of bumps followed by a loud crash, J. F. Nicholson, the insurance agent, of 108 Broadway, leaped from his room to find an aged stranger lying at the bottom of the stairs limp and lifeless last night. The stranger had fallen the entire length of the steep flight of stairs without sustaining serious injury.

He was drunk, and when picked up revived. His head and hands were cut by the glass of the door when he fell against it, but he declared he was not injured and no doctor was necessary. Breaking away from those holding him, he staggered towards First street and Broadway and finally landed in the right building. He had become confused and entered the wrong place.

WEATHER FORECAST.



MAY CHANGE RULE TO MEET PURPOSE

Reducing Qualifications For High School Principal

Election Is Said To Be Scheduled For
An Early Date—Faculty To
Be Named.

PROF. C. A. NORVELL CHOICE

Election of the High school faculty promises to follow close on the heels of the election of a superintendent according to report, and the next meeting of the school board, it is said the election will take place.

The choice of a principal of the High school is second in interest only to that of superintendent, since Prof. George Payne, like Superintendent Lieb, declines to serve another year. Several vacancies in the faculty also will have to be filled, on account of the intention of teachers to leave Paducah. There are four applicants for the principalship: Prof. C. H. Shireles, science teacher, and Prof. W. H. Sugg, both of whom were applicants for the position of superintendent; Prof. W. T. Johnson and Prof. C. A. Norvell, formerly principal of the High school, and now assistant in English. It is understood that Prof. Norvell will be the choice for principal, but that the others will retain their present positions, if they desire. Prof. Norvell is a graduate of Cape Girardeau Normal College.

Lower grade teachers probably will not be elected until later.

It is also reported that the committee on rules is engaged in making some changes of importance. Trustee Peter Beckenbach announced some time ago that a close revision would be made.

It is possible a change will be made in rule 33, governing the qualifications for principal of the High school. The rule reads:

"The principal of the High school shall be a graduate of a reputable university or of a college in good standing with the College Union."

FIRST NATIONAL PLANS APPROVED

Mr. R. L. Reeves, president of the First National bank, returned last night from St. Louis where he had gone to make final arrangements with the architects of the new ten-story building, to be erected at Third street and Broadway for the bank. All the details have been completed and the minor changes decided on by the bank directors have been made in the plans. Bids will be called for this week by the architects. The architects estimate that the bids will all be received and the contract let within two weeks. The building will be in the course of construction for eight months.

LOUISVILLE STRIKE.

Louisville, Ky., March 13.—Winchester rifles and revolvers were sent this morning to the Fourth avenue car barn to be used in case that point is attacked by strike sympathizers. This barn has been the center of hostilities. Three cars were run on the Second street line today, while 25 mounted police guarded them against possible attack. No interference was encountered but business in the city is absolutely at a stand still.

SUICIDE.

Newport, Ky., March 13.—Richard Brown, a shipping clerk, awoke this morning and asked his wife to die with him. She refused and Brown jumped out of bed and cut his throat with a razor, dying almost instantly. Brown imagined he was not working hard enough. He feared he would lose his position.

TRAINMEN DROWN.

Pittsburg, March 13.—Engineer Sell, Fireman Cantwell and Brakeman Johns were drowned this morning while their train was crossing a bridge spanning a creek on the Pennsylvania railroad. A heavy rain had weakened the bridge, which collapsed under the weight of the train. The bodies of the victims have not been recovered.

AID LAND FRAUD.

Boise, Idaho, March 13.—Wholesale graft in the arid land reclamation service of the government is said to have been discovered. Evidence is now in possession of the department at Washington and action, looking toward a number of indictments, is anticipated.

TUNNEL CAVE-IN.

New York, March 13.—One man is killed and ten possibly injured in an avalanche in the Pennsylvania tunnel this morning. Only by the heroic work in fellow laborers saved 40 others, who were dug out.

A concert is to be given on the evening of the 27th in the High school auditorium by the "Rooney Boys" of Chicago, for the benefit of the High school library. Press reports from the various cities they have visited state that the work is of the highest class. At Christmas in 1903 they furnished the program at the white house when the president entertained the children. Mr. Rooney wrote Prof. Payne today that he would give any talented boy singer or player upon any instrument a free try out.

ROONEY BOYS PLAY FOR HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY

Orders arrived today, from Washington, allowing the Paducah postoffice a new carrier, making thirteen. The first substitute gets the place.

WATCHING FOR A FAVORABLE WIND.



Berryman in Washington Star.

PADUCAH LOSES WOODMEN FIGHT

Past Head Consul Comes to
West Kentucky and Kills
Emery's Chances

ELECTION LONG DRAWN OUT

Lasts All Day and Sovereigns Are
Still in Session—Head Grove
Elected Last Night.

SOCIAL FEATURES POPULAR.

HEAD CAMP.

Junior Past Head Consul—
P. T. Wells, Murray.
Head Consul—J. H. Brewer,
Louisville.
Head Advisor—Dr. C. M.
Heveren, Owensboro.
Head Clerk—Charles L. Wi-
man, Louisville.

HEAD GROVE.

Grand Guardian—Mrs. George
Kirkland, Fulton.
Grand Advisor—Mrs. C. E.
Maxwell.
Grand Banker—Mrs. M. C.
Rhodes, Wingo.
Grand Clerk—Mrs. J. A. Mer-
edith, Ashland.
Grand Captain—Mrs. D. Bar-
nett, Cranckeville.
Delegate—Mrs. Michael Jse-
man.

Speeches in profusion marked today's session of delegates to the organization of Head Camp U, state Woodmen of the World, and no more than the election of officers will probably be accomplished before night. Speeches long, and speeches short, speeches humorous and pathetic, were heard on the floor of Red Men's hall today.

The session opened at 10 o'clock and the committee on credentials reported. Organizer Johnson Hall went into the business with dispatch. In placing candidates in nomination speeches were made not only by the person nominating them but by friends, taking up much time. Although the election was gone into within a few moments after the call to order, at 12:30 o'clock the per-
spiring, excited convention had elected but three candidates.

R. T. Wells, of Murray, Ky., was opposed by Dr. Johnson Hall, of Louisville, for junior past head consul. Wells was elected.

Charles W. Emery, of this city, was opposed by J. H. Brewer, of Louisville, for head consul, the next office in line. The visitor was elected.

Other offices were sought by various candidates and in some as many as five candidates were nominated.

Dr. C. M. Heveren, of Owensboro, was elected over several opponents to the office of head advisor.

At this juncture a motion was suggested to adjourn, but the spirit of the fight was in the Woodmen and it was voted down.

The office of head clerk brought forth several candidates, and by overwhelming odds Charles L. Ni-
man, of Louisville, was elected. He is cashier of the Adams Express company in Louisville and one of the hardest workers in Woodcraft.

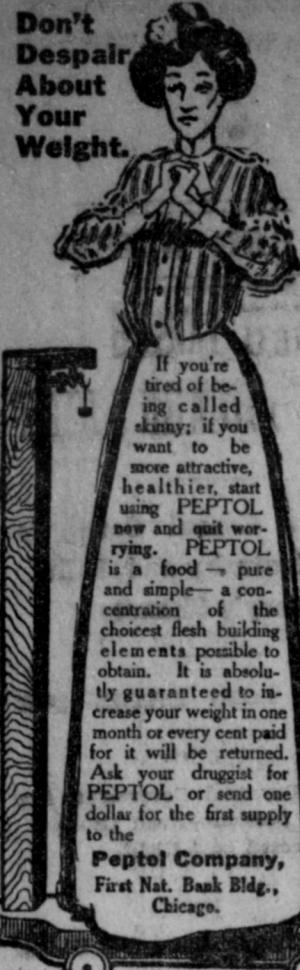
At 1:15 o'clock the convention adjourned until 2:30 o'clock this afternoon when the remaining offices will be filled. It is probable that a night session will be held before the meeting is over in order to get through with the business.

Head Grove Organizes.

Head grove, the women's auxiliary to the Woodmen of the World lodge, organized yesterday afternoon, electing the following officers: Mrs. George Kirkland, Fulton, grand guardian; Mrs. C. E. Maxwell, city, grand advisor; Mrs. M. C. Rhodes, Wingo, grand banker; Mrs. J. A. Meredith, Ashland, grand clerk; Mrs. D. Barnett, Cranckeville, grand chaplain, and Mrs. Michael Iseman, city, state delegate to the supreme grove. The installation took place this morning. Mrs. Genevieve Spence organized the Head Grove, and the regular business was gone through with dispatch.

This morning the Head Grove transacted routine business after the installation of officers. Standing and special committees were appointed and affairs of the order discussed. This afternoon the final business will

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For sale by Kobl Bros' Drug Co.,
L. S. DuBois, Son & Co., and all leading
druggists.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Lettuce	2 bunches	15c
Parsnips	5c quart.	
Turnips	10c gal.	
Sweet potatoes	.80c bu.	
Irish potatoes	.80c bu.	
Sassafras	5c bunch.	
Young onions	2 bunches 5c.	
Greens	10c bunch.	
Beets	2 bunches 15c	
Radishes	2 bunches 25c	
Celery	3 bunches 25c	
Strawberries	.2 for 25c	
Grape fruit	.4 for 25c	
Bananas	.10c doz.	
Oranges	.20c doz.	
Apples	.35c peck.	
Chickens	35c to 75c.	
Turkeys	.15c lb.	
Rabbits	.15c each	
Eggs	.15c doz.	
Butter	.25c lb.	
Ham	.17c lb.	
Sausage	.10c lb.	
Lard	.12 1-2c lb.	

The Kentucky
BOTH PHONES 548.
TONIGHT
AND BALANCE OF WEEK
WILLARD MACK
And
MAUDE LEONE

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had with them or their former
engagement in Paducah.

Bill for Tonight.

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ROMANCE

BIG BARGAIN MATINEE

SATURDAY.

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15c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Matinees 10c and 25c.

Seats on sale at Box Office.

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Thursday, March 21, 1907

ROUND TRIP \$3

Special Train Leaves Paducah at 8 a.m.

Arrives at St. Louis 2:30 p.m.

Tickets good returning on
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Monday, March 25, 1907.
No baggage will be checked
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R. M. PRATHER, T. A., Union Depot.

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The Kentucky | Monday, March 18
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AND

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Best All-Star

Negro Minstrel Vaudeville, Song, Dance, Fun Show

Ever Seen.

Singers—Sweet Dancers—Dandy. Phunny Phellows. Specialties. Sensational. Ebony Eostacies. Paragon Paraders. Merry Minstrels. Plantation Pastimes. Distinguished Dixie Darkies.

The Band and a "F-o-w-l Deed."

Direction Voelkel & Nolan, the "Barnum & Bailey" of Real Negro Minstrelsy.

BARGAIN MATINEE 25c TO ALL

Night Prices—25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Entire Balcony Reserved for Colored Patrons

Seats on Sale Saturday.

BOARD WITHDRAWS
ITS RESOLUTIONS

AT THE KENTUCKY.
Willard Mack, Maude Leone and company, in repertoire of standard comedies.

Wednesday—"A Bachelor's Romance."
Thursday—"Madam Satan."
Friday—"The Christian."
Saturday—(Matinee and Night)—
Comedies.

Auspicious Return.

More auspicious than their opening was the return engagement instituted last night by the Mack-Leone company. A large house greeted their presentation of "Sowing the Wind," the great English problem play of sex against sex. The piece is powerful in the logical sweep of its progress, and the whole company interpreted the parts intelligently. Mr. Mack and Miss Leone as Mr. Brabant and Rosamund, respectively, had many opportunities to display repression and power, and the applause and curtain call, which greeted their efforts, testified to the satisfaction of the audience. Mr. Frank Tobin, who essayed the role of Ned Annesley, gives great promise as a juvenile man. Corwin Luskmore, who played Lord Petworth, not a fat part, always gives a pleasing impression of ease in speech and manner. Frank Bernhard, as Mr. Deakin, played an excellent foil to Mr. Mack. Miss Clara Reynolds Smith, as Mrs. Fretwell, and Clara Dalton, as Maude Fretwell, furnished much of the comedy.

Tonight the company presents for the first time in Paducah Tim Murphy's "A Bachelor's Romance." This piece was never presented here by Mr. Murphy.

Spain is the greatest lead producing country, and Germany second.

If advice was worth as much as it is supposed to be, it would never be free as it is.

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ARROW
Clipper Shrunken Quarter Size Collar
15 cents each; 2 for 25 cents
CLIFFET, PEAKNEY & CO.
Manufacturers of Cotton Men's Shirts

New Superintendent Will be
Given Chance

Shorter Hours Will Be Considered
After He Has Expressed Himself,
Says Leader.

IN HONOR OF PROF. J. T. ROSS

A decision has been made by the leader of the school board that he will have the board withdraw resolutions pertaining to shorter hours in the schools until the new superintendent has an opportunity to express himself. The resolutions were introduced at the last meeting of the board and created a great deal of comment. They provide for school opening at 8:30 o'clock and continuing until 1:30 o'clock when dismissal is ordered, 20 minutes at noon being given for luncheon. A separate resolution, provided for the primary department work and hours. Some one has told the board that out of courtesy to the incoming superintendent, Prof. John Carnagey, the matter should be held up pending his arrival.

Honor Prof. Ross.

Pupils of the Jefferson school, Eighth and Harrison streets, yesterday afternoon gave an informal entertainment in honor of the seventy-third birthday of Principal J. T. Ross, the veteran school teacher. The entertainment began at 3 o'clock and lasted for more than a hour. The affair was hurriedly arranged and in a measure impromptu.

The Program.

Song, "America," by the entire school.

Song, "Dancing in the Aisles," by the first grade pupils, Miss Bonds, teacher.

Song, "What Robin Told," by the second grade, Miss Marie Wilcox, teacher.

Recitations, by Misses Mildred Hopson, Camilla Jackson, Elizabeth Gleaves and Ladine Emerson.

Song, by third grade, Miss McKey, teacher.

Recitation, by Raymond Shelton: "There are many principals in many lands,

There are principals who are very cross,

But there is no principal however grand,

Like our own dear Mr. Ross.

We shall always love Professor Ross, And we mean to ever be true, To this principal of ours, and the dear old flag,

The red, white and blue."

Song by the third grade and B fourth grade, "We Will Thank Thee Heavenly Father."

Recitations by Mary Bolton, Will I. Levy and Marguerite Moss.

Song by the Misses Mitchell's rooms.

Recitations by Misses Ruby Darrell and Winnie Potter.

Teachers' Meeting.

Friday afternoon city school teachers will meet in regular monthly session. The subject will be "Logical and Physiological Concept," Prof. J. T. Ross will be the conductor. Principal E. G. Payne, of the High school, will make a report on the National Educational association.

Tomorrow morning Dr. H. P. Sights will address the High school on the proper care of the body, particularly school children.

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TRY THIS FOR BACKACHE.

Get from any prescription pharmacy the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce.

Compound Kargon, one ounce.

Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered by eminent authority as the finest prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble and Weak Bladder.

This combined mixture should act on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Being composed entirely of vegetable ingredients, it is harmless and inexpensive.

Mix some and give it a trial.

It certainly comes highly recommended.

It is the prescription of an eminent specialist, whose

entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

away for Pittsburg tomorrow, the United States gunboat Wasp can find a suitable dock space, where the Harvester will be tied up. The Harvester will get away tomorrow subject, not to the action of the Democratic party, but to more august authority, government inspectors Green and St. John. They arrived this morning to inspect the repairs made on the Harvester and if passed that towboat with the 38 empties will leave Thursday. The Harvester has been lying just below the wharfboat.

Charley Kopf, day river manager of the West Kentucky Coal company, went down to Cairo, this morning on the Dick Fowler to meet the Wasp to make preparations for coaling the gunboat while here, if the bid of his company is accepted. The Wasp got away from Memphis 24 hours late and probably will not arrive in Paducah until Friday forenoon. It is understood that the Wasp will be in Cairo this afternoon. Already word from the surrounding small towns indicates that many visitors will come to the city while the Wasp is here, to see the little man-of-war.

Roy Broadfoot will go on the John Hopkins as pilot today, in the place of one of the regular pilots who is off. Les. Broadfoot will continue for the present on the Dick Fowler.

The Reaper with 12 barges of coal

in tow from Pittsburg will arrive tomorrow. The coal is for the West Kentucky Coal company and the Reaper will go back to Pittsburg after discharging the barges.

William Kirchner arrived from St.

Louis yesterday to take the place of second clerk on the Joe Wheeler. The Wheeler did not get away for Chattanooga until today, a side trip to Joppa preventing the departure yesterday. Several car loads of freight were left from lack of space. It is announced now that the steamer Avalon, has been purchased by the Chattanooga Packet company and will be run in the Paducah trade in place of the Joe Wheeler. The Avalon ran out of this port several years ago and is somewhat larger than the Chattanooga. The Joe Wheeler will run in a short trade out of Chattanooga. The success of this farough packet line has been such that a third boat was to have been added, but it is not definite yet whether it will be.

If, as expected, the Harvester gets

the next 24 hours. At Paducah and

Cairo, will continue to fall during the next 24 to 36 hours.

The Tennessee from Florence to

the mouth, will continue to fall during the next 24 hours.

The Mississippi from below St.

Louis to slightly above Cairo, will

rise during the next 24 hours.

The Wabash at Mt. Carmel, will

rise during the next 24 to 36 hours.

—Some of the most valuable busi-

ness enterprises in town today were

merely "plans" and "opportunities" a

year or so ago—and were advertised

as such.

WOMEN WHO CHARM

Health Is the First Essential Toward Making a Woman Attractive.



MISS HULDA KUGHLER
MISS ELIZABETH WYNN

Miss Hulda Kughler, of No. 25, West 15th Street, New York City, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

"For months I was ill with an internal trouble. I suffered terrible agony, was irritable, and sick all the time. I took different medicines without benefit. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and within six months I was completely restored to health and I want to recommend it to every suffering woman."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular functions, backache, blotting (or flatulence), displacements, inflammation or ulceration, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, indigestion, or nervous prostration should remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs will dispel all these troubles. By correcting the cause of the trouble it cures where other treatment may have failed.

Miss Elizabeth Wynn, of No. 205 2nd Avenue, New York City, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

"For months I suffered with dreadful headaches, pain in the back and severe hemorrhages. I was weak and out of sorts all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me when all other medicine had failed. It seemed to be just what I needed and quickly restored my health."

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt.

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An ideal, antiseptic toilet powder for infants and adults.

This is an exquisitely perfumed, antiseptic toilet powder. It is a household necessity for the nursery and toilet. It keeps the complexion clear and preserves the velvety texture of youth. It should be used freely after bathing, giving a delightful and refreshing effect.

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GOURAUD'S ORIENTAL CREAM.

For sale by W. B. McPherson, Paducah, Ky.

HINDER WORK**TENDENCY OF MISLEADING REPORTS FROM PANAMA.****ARMY ENGINEERS CONCEIVE DIABOLICAL PLOT TO BELITTLE THEIR OWN EFFORTS.**

Washington, March 13.—In assuming charge of the Panama canal, Lt. Col. George W. Goethals has not only taken over a difficult job, from the viewpoint of an engineer and builder, but he has already encountered other difficulties which would tend to make his work harder. There appeared among civil engineers a decided animus against the army men, to whom the entire work of constructing the great waterway has been given.

It is not at all unlikely, in the opinion of officials here, that other civil engineers on the isthmus will follow the footsteps of Chief Engineer Stevens, whose resignation will take effect as soon as Col. Goethals arrives in Panama, and familiarizes himself with the work.

Even Mr. Stevens, in whom the administration has great confidence, has placed obstacles in the way of the progress of Col. Goethals. For the last three months Mr. Stevens has called the war department glowing reports of the amount of excavation in the Culebra cut. His figures have increased from month to month by the hundred thousand cubic yards. In one report he predicted that 1,000,000 cubic yards would be taken out during the month of June.

In these reports the army engineers see efforts to make their work more difficult. The monthly reports have come to Washington promptly at the end of each month. For instance, at the end of February, Mr. Stevens telegraphed that in twenty-three working days 638,644 cubic yards had been taken from the big cut. This was very pleasing and satisfactory, except for the fact that it was car-

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Their unceasing work keeps us strong and healthy.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

J. R. Womble, of 1162 Broadway, Paducah, Ky., says: "When I gave the statement for publication in 1900 telling of the great benefit I had received from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills which I procured at DuBois & Co.'s drug store, I had no idea it was to be a lasting benefit for I had been a severe sufferer from a general kidney and bladder trouble and weak back. I had some pretty severe attacks of kidney trouble and sometimes I could hardly get up if I knelt or stooped. Yes I have been so bad that I have almost had to crawl on my hands and knees. There was no rest for me at night and I felt very much discouraged. The secretions were highly colored, scalding and burning, but not until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at DuBois & Co.'s drug store, did I get relief. I noticed their good effect in one day, and in a short time the kidney difficulty passed away. Although I had suffered in this way for many years Doan's Kidney Pills gave me this quick and permanent relief. I can say at this time, Feb. 18, 1907, that I am better than at any time in twenty years. This remedy is one of the few that do all that is claimed for them."

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measurement and not an accurate statement of the actual excavation from the cut.

It is well known and simply seen, if the amount of earth excavated is measured by the number of cars used in carrying it away, the total cubic yards will rapidly multiply, but this measurement is of loose dirt in partially filled cars, and does not represent the actual amount of solid earth and rock taken from the cut.

Contractors and engineers say that it takes a couple of weeks to determine how much has been removed from an excavation. Mr. Stevens' reports, however, have been coming in almost before the end of the month, so it was impossible for him to take his measurements in the cut.

SADDLERY COMPANY.

Site Found by Commercial Club of Cairo.

Cairo, Ill., March 13.—A very important meeting of the Commercial club was held yesterday afternoon at which a site for the new saddlery factory first told of in the Bulletin of last Wednesday was decided upon.

An option was taken by the club on three lots owned by Charles Lancaster located at Seventeenth street and Commercial avenue, and the Commercial club voted to raise the required sum to purchase the lots. The contract will be closed with the Saddlery company when the lots are duly deeded for the purpose.

The company will erect a four-story brick building 50x100 feet facing Commercial avenue for the saddlery factory and a small building in the rear which will be utilized as a cigar factory.

The Saddlery company, which it will be remembered, is a Paducah concern which will remove to this city, is under contract to employ not less than thirty skilled operators continuously for five years and probably will employ from 50 to 75 men at the start. They will increase their help as the business develops.

DEMANDS CASH LOST AT POKER.

Indianapolis Man May Sue for Losses in "Gentleman's Game."

Indianapolis, Ind., March 13.—Several business men of this city who occasionally sit in a "gentleman's game" of poker were notified today that Willard S. Wickard had placed claims against them in the hands of ex-Judge Bartholomew, a lawyer, for the recovery of money lost in the games.

The letters of notification were sent out from Bartholomew's office, and state that he has the checks given by Wickard in payment of the gambling debts, and unless the money is refunded he will bring suit at once for its recovery.

Wickard was indicted with State Auditor Sherrick some months ago in connection with deals with the auditor by which he secured a large sum of money. As the Indiana law does not give any relief for the loss of money at gambling, unless the money so lost belongs to other persons, it is assumed that Wickard will allege that the money he lost was not his own.

GREATER PITTSBURG ACT WINS.

Court Upholds Law for the Consolidation of City and Allegheny.

Philadelphia, March 13.—The state supreme court today affirmed the judgment of the superior court permitting the consolidation of Pittsburgh and Allegheny City.

The case had been fought from the lower courts, and opponents of "Greater Pittsburgh" claiming that the legislative act providing for the consolidation was unconstitutional.

Unless an effort is made by the anti-annexationists to carry the case to the supreme court of the United States, which is not probable, the union of Pittsburgh and Allegheny will become effective March 22. The population of the city thus produced will be about 620,000.

People who were never on your street before will come to see that horse and buggy as soon as you advertise them for sale.

When a man is eager to have his son follow in his own footsteps it is safe to conclude that he has an exaggerated ego.

The Parents of Abraham Lincoln

BY IDA M. TARRELL.



Among the many wrongs of history — and they are legion — there is none in our American chapter at least which is graver than that which has been done the parents, and particularly the mother, of Abraham Lincoln. Of course, I refer to the widespread tradition that Lincoln was born of that class known in the south as "poor whites," that his father was not Thomas Lincoln, as his biographers insist on declaring, but a rich and cultured planter of another state than Kentucky, and that his mother not only gave a fatherless boy to the world, but herself was a nameless child. The tradition has always lacked particularity. For instance, there has been large difference of opinion about the planter who fathered Abraham, who he was and where he came from. One story calls him Enloe, another Calhoun, another Hardin, and several different states claim him. Only five years ago a book was published in North Carolina to prove that Lincoln's father was a resident of that state,

Ida M. Tarbell. If the story is true, it is well known and simply seen, if the amount of earth excavated is measured by the number of cars used in carrying it away, the total cubic yards will rapidly multiply, but this measurement is of loose dirt in partially filled cars, and does not represent the actual amount of solid earth and rock taken from the cut.

Contractors and engineers say that it takes a couple of weeks to determine how much has been removed from an excavation. Mr. Stevens' reports, however, have been coming in almost before the end of the month, so it was impossible for him to take his measurements in the cut.

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THE LOG CABIN IN WHICH LINCOLN WAS BORN.

The bulk of the testimony offered in this instance came from men and women who had been born long after Abraham Lincoln, had never seen him, and never heard the tale they repeated until long after his election to the presidency. Of the truth of these statements as to Lincoln's origin no proof has ever been produced. They were rumors, diligently spread in the first place by those who for political purposes were glad to belittle a political opponent. They grew with telling, and, curiously enough, two of Lincoln's best friends helped perpetuate them — Messrs. Lamon and Herndon — both of whom wrote lives of the president which are of great interest and value. But neither of these men was a student, and they did not take the trouble to look for records of Mr. Lincoln's birth. They accepted rumors and enlarged upon them. Indeed, it was not until perhaps twenty-five years ago that the matter was taken up seriously and an investigation begun. This has been going on at intervals ever since, until I venture to say that few persons born in a pioneer community, as Lincoln was, and as early as 1809, have their lineage on both sides as clearly established as that of Abraham Lincoln. It takes, indeed, a most amazing credulity for anyone to believe the stories I have alluded to after having looked at the records of his family. Lincoln himself, backed by the record in the Lincoln family Bible, is the first authority for the time and place of his birth, as well as the name of his father and mother. The father, Thomas Lincoln, far from being a "poor white," was the son of a prosperous Ken-

tucky man, a prominent citizen of Louisville, died only a few years ago.

But while these documents dispose effectively of the question of the parentage of Lincoln, they do not, of course, clear up the shadow which hangs over the parentage of his mother. Is there anything to show that Nancy Hanks herself was of as clear and clean lineage as her husband? There had been nothing whatever until, a few years ago, through the efforts of Mrs. Caroline Hanks Hitchcock, of Cambridge, Mass., who had in preparation the genealogy of the Hanks family in America, a little volume was published, showing what she had established in regard to Nancy Hanks. Mrs. Hitchcock had begun at the far end of the line — the arrival of one Benjamin Hanks in Massachusetts in 1699.

She discovered that one of his sons William, moved to Virginia, and that in the latter part of the eighteenth century his children formed in Amelia county of that state a large settlement. All the records of these families she found in the Hall of Records in Richmond. When the migration into Kentucky began, late in the century, it was joined by many members of the Hanks settlement in Amelia county. Among others to go was Joseph Hanks with his wife, Nancy Shipley Hanks, and their children. Mrs. Hitchcock traced this Joseph Hanks, by means of land records, to Nelson county, Kentucky, where she found that he died in 1793, leaving behind a will, which she discovered in the records of Bardstown, Ky. This will shows that at the time of his death Joseph Hanks had eight living children, to whom he bequeathed his property. The youngest of these was "My daughter Nancy," as the will puts it.

Mrs. Hitchcock's first query, on reading this will was: "Can it be that this little girl — she was but nine years old when her father died — is the Nancy Hanks who sixteen years later became the mother of Abraham Lincoln?" She determined to find out. She learned from relations and friends of the family of Joseph Hanks still living that soon after her father's death, Nancy went to live with an uncle, Richard Berry, who the records showed had come from Virginia to Kentucky at the same time that Joseph Hanks came. A little further research, and Mrs. Hitchcock found that there had been brought to light through the efforts of friends of Abraham Lincoln all the documents to show that in 1806 Nancy Hanks and Thomas Lincoln were married at Beechland, Ky. Now, one of these documents was a marriage bond. It was signed by Rich-

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February, 1907.

1	4036	15.....	3829
2	3813	16.....	3874
4	3830	18.....	3813
5	3851	19.....	3805
6	3851	20.....	3830
7	3871	21.....	3869
8	3885	22.....	3915
9	3813	23.....	3839
11	3828	25.....	3855
12	3855	26.....	3836
13	3844	27.....	3923
14	3870	28.....	3890
Average for February, 1907.		3859	
Average for February, 1906.		3757	
Increase		102	

Personally appeared before me, this March 1, 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Feb., 1907, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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Daily Thought.

We may lose battles while gathering straws.—Scotch Proverb.

Says the Kentucky State Journal:

We do not know to whom the Paducah Sun refers specifically in this paragraph, but its suggestions are so generally applicable that we endorse it to the extent of reproducing it here: Position between editorial dashes under the mast head of a newspaper does not make an editorial. An editorial is the direct expression of an opinion by a newspaper, and it makes no difference whether the expression is made on the editorial page or somewhere else under a news head. The paper is responsible for the opinion, and the declaration that it was in the news column does not excuse the editor. If he permits his reporters to take up one side of a controversy in the news columns, while he plays fast and loose with the question on his editorial page, that shows lack of discipline and administrative ability, marks the paper as pusillanimous, and its policy as contemptible.

A NEW ORDER.

Morgan has called on the president. Next Harriman is expected to sit in the executive office and explain his views on the government's relation to the railroads. Yet, we have heard no word of alarm from the anti-administration press. This is a great step in clearing up national politics. Shirt sleeve diplomacy promises to supplant the gum-shoe method heretofore in vogue among special interests at Washington. Finding that for once this country has a president, who is head of the government, and who is not only square and honest and intelligent, but a politician of the highest order as well, fully able and equipped to see through and defeat the schemes of their agents in the legislative department, at last these great leaders of industry have put aside their agents and attorneys, gone over the heads of the hire-

lings and come face to face with the people through their president. Much misunderstanding and injustice no doubt have resulted from the system heretofore obtaining. We can see how men with millions in their keeping—millions belonging to other people—have feared the voice of the demagogue. We can see how they would be held up by blackmailers and the highwaymen of the legislative halls, and how by gradual process they would come to think it easier and safer to hire men to look after legislation, and thus protect themselves and their funds by underhanded methods. No doubt, even when securing legislation to which they were not entitled, these men have excused themselves on the ground of fidelity to their trust. But now all this is past—or the worst of it—we hope. We have a president, who is the equal of them by every measurement, and who is approachable in a sense that few of his predecessors have been. He is no figure-head, but a man of bone and sinew and brains and he has taught the reckless traffickers in legislation a lesson they will scarce forget. Perhaps they will now find that the people are disposed to give them fair play, demanding only that they be honest themselves, and as faithful to their duties to the public as they are to their private beneficiaries. Personally, we hope, we have a president, who is the equal of them by every measurement, and who is approachable in a sense that few of his predecessors have been. He is no figure-head, but a man of bone and sinew and brains and he has taught the reckless traffickers in legislation a lesson they will scarce forget. Perhaps they will now find that the people are disposed to give them fair play, demanding only that they be honest themselves, and as faithful to their duties to the public as they are to their private beneficiaries. Personally, we hope,

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**DRAWING TO END
IS THAW'S TRIAL****James Clinch Smith on Stand
Again Today**It Is Evident That Delmas Will Fight
to Have Testimony Ruled
Out.**WAS DAMAGING TO DEFENSE.**

New York, March 13.—James Clinch Smith, brother-in-law of Stanford White, who gave damaging testimony against Thaw yesterday was recalled today. Delmas' through his questioning indicated an intention of fighting to have Smith's testimony thrown out, but he made no motion to that effect. Delmas made Smith admit he had made a written statement before he went abroad last December, covering the facts to which he testified.

End Is In Sight.

The end of the Thaw trial at last seems to be in sight. Tentative plans for the final stages of the trial were agreed upon today by the opposing counsel, even to the details of allotting time for summing up.

Jerome has at last burned behind him all bridges leading to a luncy commission and has irrevocably pointed his course to proving that Thaw was sane when he shot and killed White and that being sane his crime constituted murder in the first degree.

Within ten days or two weeks the case should be in the jury's hands.

Jerome played today probably the strongest card he holds—evidence which came to his knowledge but a few days ago, and which undoubtedly caused him to abandon the idea of sending White's slayer to a madhouse and to try for a straight out and out conviction under the criminal statutes.

The evidence came from Mrs. Stanford White's brother, James Clinch Smith, who told a remarkable clear, succinct story of the events on Madison Square roof garden, the night White was killed, and of a long conversation he had with Thaw just prior to the shooting.

It seems that Thaw sat for some time with Smith during the fateful first performance of "Mam'selle Charnpagne" and discussed with him various topics in a manner, Smith declared, such as any sane man would talk. Smith gave the conversation in detail, omitting nothing, he asserted.

With the brother-in-law of the man who was so soon to be a victim of his pistol, Thaw discussed the play, Wall street, common acquaintances, plans for the summer and many other talings including a "buxom brunette" whom Thaw declared he was anxious to have Smith meet. Thaw said he and his wife were going abroad later in the summer.

There was no hint anywhere in the repeated conversation of Thaw's intent to inflict bodily harm upon anyone. Smith did say, however, that Thaw, not having a reserved seat, roamed about the garden and continually looked in the direction of the

spot where he subsequently killed White.

Jerome summoned to the stand Dr. Carlton Flint, the physician, to whom Evelyn Nesbit is said to have gone with "Jack" Barrymore, an actor. Delmas objected and Flint was not allowed to testify. It is said that Flint had been subpoenaed by the defense, and that he would be called in sub-rebuttal to answer questions he was not permitted to answer today.

The district attorney called Rudolph Eckmyer, a photographer who took a picture of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, which has been introduced in evidence. The photographer was employed by White to make a photographic copy of an affidavit Evelyn Nesbit is said to have made in Abraham Hummel's office.

Eckmyer identified the negatives made from the affidavits but they were not offered in evidence.

Jerome next tried to get the photographer to fix the dates of certain pictures for which Evelyn Nesbit posed hoping thus to establish the day the Nesbit girl says she had her experience with White in his Twenty-fourth street house. Answering Delmas' objection, Jerome declared that if he was allowed to fix the date of these night following the day they were pictures he would show "that on the taken, when Mrs. Thaw says she was ruined, White was not in the Twenty-fourth street house at all."

Jerome Creates a Scene.

Jerome fairly shouted the last words and pounded on the table before him. Delmas said he must stand upon his objection and it was sustained. He then moved that the district attorney's "improper remarks for which he had given much emphasis of voice and gesture" be stricken from the records.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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New Richmond—P. J. Wyatt, Asland City, Tenn.; R. P. Spencer, Metropolis, Ill.; George Steele, Carrollton; W. M. Bromwell, Hardin, Ky.; A. A. Nelson, Benton; W. M. Eirod, Nashville, Tenn.; W. A. Feets, Mayfield; Dr. J. C. Woodson, New Madrid, Mo.; M. C. Gibson, Evansville; G. W. Riddle, Smithland; Birt Smith, Coldwater; J. T. McNeely, Moscow; Atkins Cole, Fulton.

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The only safeguard therefore is to get yourself in good condition. The liver, the blood, the kidneys, the skin should be in first class order or you can not stand the trying month. Osteopatay, quickly naturally restores any disarrangement to any of these essentials of good health. The torpid liver, the disordered kidneys, the poor blood supply or circulation readily yield to its health giving methods.

The treatment is simplicity itself, sane, rational, without the use of harmful drugs. It cures by scientific manipulation to restore the normal functions to each organ. It recognizes, appreciates and uses proper diet, air, water, exercise and other natural hygienic measures, too.

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WOODMEN OF WORLD

(Concluded from First Page.)

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away to dislodge the obstruction.
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turned up and another hole dug.

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for dinner try Whitehead's 25c
dinner, 215 Broadway.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a
mothers' meeting tomorrow afternoon
at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Emma
Byrd, 1043 Trimble street. Mrs.
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athletic funds, was well attended and
to the students a most gratifying
financial success, says the Noblesville
Daily Ledger. The large assembly
room was comfortably filled. Along
the "Warpath" were plenty of places
to spend your money, the attractions
including the cobweb room where you
wound your line and got your reward,
the shooting gallery, illustrated songs
and the magic cave. In the latter
place Ben Christian operated the
views with the skill of a veteran, and
Miss Mary Fisher and Lewis Pettijohn
sang. The principal feature of
the evening was a splendid presentation
of the one act ludicrous sketch
entitled, "The Mouse Trap." A large
stage was erected along the entire
side of the assembly room. The par-
ticipants acquitted themselves creditably,
the amusing situation pleasing
the audience immensely. Much interest
was manifested in the contest
to choose the most popular young
lady. This was decided by voting,
each vote costing a penny. Miss
Mary Fisher and Miss Marguerite Carnagey
were the leaders in the contest.
It was a neck and neck race between
these girls for several hundred votes.
Then the Iannini boys began voting
at a lively rate for Miss Carnagey,
who won the contest with
1,740 votes. Miss Fisher was not
very far behind. Miss Carnagey was
presented with a handsome engraved
souvenir spoon.

Miss Carnagey is the only daughter
of Prof. J. A. Carnagey, recently
elected superintendent of the Paducah
public schools.

Banquet Tendered.
Last night at the Woodmen of the
World hall over the Star laundry on
North Fourth street, the ladies
circles combined in tendering the visiting
Woodmen of the World what
proved to be one of the biggest and
most successful banquets ever given
in Paducah. The table accommodated
80 at a sitting, and it required six
sittings to serve all present. The ban-
quet was begun after an address by
Hon. D. A. Cross, and a pretty public
drill by the degree team of Evergreen
circle.

Car Ride Over City.

The car ride over the city to visit
the Woodmen of the World was en-
joyed yesterday afternoon. At the
last moment it was decided to utilize
the time given by adjournment at
2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon until
this morning. The car was packed
and the visitors were taken over the
city. Many favorable comments were
heard on Paducah, her size and pro-
gress. Much praise was given the
traction company for the excellent
tracks and perfect service.

Notes.

Next year Junior Past Head Consul Rainy T. Wells, of Murray, will
step down and out, and will be suc-
ceeded by Head Consul J. H. Brewer
of Louisville. It was necessary to
elect the former because this is the
first year. Hereafter the office will
be filled by gradual promotion.

Pedestrians on the street looked up
in wonder towards the Red Men's
hall when loud peals of applause
marks the election of some officer.
It is one of the most enthusiastic
conventions ever held in Paducah.

Mr. Delos B. Rogers, the well-
known Louisville attorney, was prom-
inently mentioned for junior past
head consul, but would not permit
his name to go before the convention.
The Louisville delegation could not
be gotten together solid enough to
put in a Louisville man.

One conspicuous fact in the organ-
izing of the camp is that each camp
fights the other for honors.

Fulton boasts of the biggest single
camp in the state, having nearly 500
members.

Jean Fernan, of the towboat Scotia,
bruised his leg while working
around the boat, and blood poison
has developed. He is in Riverside
hospital as a marine patient and will
recover.

Miss Nellie Barry left yesterday for

Mr. J. E. Baker has returned from
a several days' visit to his mother in
Eddyville. Mrs. Baker will remain in
Eddyville until Thursday.

Mr. Charles A. Tanner, of Winches-
ter, is here attending the Head camp
meeting of the Woodmen of the
World.

Messrs. Edward Toof and Henry
Leake are at Mayfield attending cir-
cuit court as witnesses.

Mr. John Lander, of Calvert City,
was here yesterday on business. He
is just up from a week's sickness
with grip.

Mrs. John W. Landrum, of May-
field, passed through the city yester-
day en route to Louisville to visit relatives.

Miss Nellie Davis has returned
from a several months' visit to her
cousin, Mrs. Bertha Ellis, of Neva-
da, Mo.

O. C. Lasher, of Smithland, is in
the city on business.

Mrs. Kate S. Milam and Miss
Mary Starr have returned from San
Antonio, Tex., where they spent the
winter.

Mrs. Louis P. Head and children
have arrived from Eddyville to join
Mr. Head.

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Mr. James W. Brogan, of New
York City, is visiting his mother, Mrs.
Margarette Brogan, of West Trimble
street.

Clinton to visit friends and relatives.
Miss Thelma Smith, of Cairo, and
Miss Jessie Henson, of Jonesboro,
Ark., are visiting in the city.

Mrs. J. H. Hall, of Cairo, has re-
turned home after visiting relatives
here.

Mrs. Kate Ely has returned to
her home at Clay Switch, after visiting
Mrs. Jesse Gilbert.

Miss Dorothy Bonnin is visiting
Mrs. Clay Lemon of Mayfield.

Messrs. Robert B. Phillips and
Henry Rudy will return tomorrow
from New York.

Samuel D. Thompson has returned
to his school at Memphis.

Mr. Willis Morgan, former police-
man and coal dealer, is out after a
lingering illness. He has been in the
country for more than a year and
recently recovered sufficiently to
come to town and is once again heal-
thy and strong.

County Clerk Hiram Smedley and
wife have returned from St. Louis.
Mrs. Smedley underwent a successful
operation two weeks ago. She is much
improved.

James Wilhelm has gone to Shel-
byville to attend a meeting of the
state board of directors of the Ma-
sonic Home for the infirm members
of the order.

Mrs. Emma Rehkopf is ill of grip-
ping pneumonia, at her home at Fifth and
Monroe streets.

Mrs. J. A. Reding left today for
Nashville to visit friends.

Mr. W. T. Reid returned last even-
ing from South Union, Ky., where he
was called by the death of his father,
the Rev. M. E. Reid, of that place.

Mrs. Lark Bradley, of Clarksville,
Tenn., is visiting in this city, en
route from Mayfield to her home.

Dr. R. H. Creason, of Mayfield,
was in Paducah yesterday.

J. D. Higgins and son Joseph, of
Hopkinsville, are in the city. Mr.
Higgins is a delegate to the state W.
O. W. meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKinney and
little daughter, Thelma, of near Pa-
ducah have returned home after a pleasant
visit to relatives in the city.

Daily Kentucky New Era.

Mr. Robison Johnson, formerly of
the Utterback Advertising Agency,
will today go to Chattanooga, Tenn.,
to accept a position with the Stoops
agency.

Col. Dick Sutherland, fire and po-
lice commissioner, is ill of grip and
unable to be on duty at the Illinois
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HOME MISSIONS.

Will Be Subject of Big Methodist
Meeting in Paducah.

The Home Mission Society of the
Broadway Methodist church met
Monday afternoon and elected the
representatives to represent it at the ap-
proaching annual meeting of Home
Mission societies of the Memphis
conference which will convene the
26-29 of this month at the Trimble
Street Methodist church: Mrs. J. K.
Greer, delegate; Mrs. E. R. Cunningham,
alternate; Mrs. Charles Johnson,
platform courtesies; Mrs. F. M. McGlathery,
member of information committee. All the societies
of the Memphis conference are pre-
paring to send delegates to the meet-
ing at Paducah. The auxiliary at
Mayfield has elected Mrs. John F.
Blalock, delegate and Mrs. Tom
George, alternate. Two of the confer-
ence officers are also, from Mayfield:
Mrs. D. M. Patterson and Mrs. J. C.
Speight. Mrs. Sue F. Mooney, whose
husband was formerly a pastor of the
Third Street Methodist church, is the
conference president; Mrs. J. H. Roberts,
of Jackson, Tenn., former Paducahian,
is another conference officer. There will be a large representation,
and a most interesting session
is anticipated. It is expected that the
Rev. John M. Moore, D. D., assistant
editor of the Nashville Christian
Advocate, the official organ of the M. E.
church, south, will preach one even-
ing of the conference.

**CHARITY CLUB WILL KEEP
SUMMER HEADQUARTERS**

The Charity club will keep up its
open headquarters all summer. This
was decided on at a meeting this
morning, when General Secretary Jap
Toner made a report of the work for
the year. It met with the fullest ap-
proval of the organization, and the
work will be continued through the
summer, furnishing employment to
the needy and helping them to pro-
vide against the winter. In this way
it is believed much can be saved, and
actual distress relieved, while the an-
nual visitation of imposters will be
curtailed. Secretary Toner's report
appears on another page.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

Hattie Smith filed suit against C.
W. Smith for divorce, alleging aban-
donment. They were married July,
1904, and separated January, 1906.
The plaintiff asks the restoration of
her maiden name, Hattie Bell.

Thompson Wilson and company
against W. C. Standford and others,
\$300, a note.

Litchfield Lamp company against
Corra Peal, doing business under the
name of the Paducah Pharmacy com-
pany, \$62.40, a note.

A. G. Owlesley against the Globe
Bank & Trust company and W. B.
Smith for \$2,000. Owlesley alleges
that on April 25, 1903, he had on
deposit \$2,000 in the bank with
W. P. Smith then vice-president and
manager; that Smith converted the
money to his own use illegally, the
bank knowing of the matter.

W. M. Oliver against A. G. Owlesley,
W. B. Smith and C. T. Murphy,
for \$1,900 alleged due as his share
in a land transaction near Vine Grove.

Deeds Filed.

John and Mollie Lee to Ison Par-
ham, property in the county, \$1,000.

Richard and Edward Terrell to
Mary Lagomarsino, property in Foun-
tain park addition, \$209.

L. A. Lagomarsino to Mary Lagomarsino,
property near Nineteenth and
Madison streets, \$1 and other
considerations.

George W. Brown and others to
Mrs. Laura Weile, property on
Plunkett street, \$250.

In Bankruptcy.

Yesterday at La Center E. W. Bag-
by, referee in bankruptcy, held an ex-
amination of W. D. Melton, bankrupt,
and F. G. Rudolph, of Paducah,
was elected trustee with bond of \$5,
000. The assets of the bankrupt
amount to a little more than the as-
sets, but a great number of debts
are secured by liens.

FIRST REPORT OF CHARITY CLUB

Tells of the Systematic Work Done Among Distressed

General Secretary Jap Toner Tells of
Conduct of Office and Plans
for Future.

THE REAL AND FALSE CHARITY.

In an excellent report read before the charity department of the Woman's club this morning Mr. Jap Toner, general secretary, furnishes the following statistics and suggestions, which were generally approved:

Coming before the club today for the first time since the work for the current year was begun last December it is my desire to present in as brief and as lucid a manner as possible a sort of general or panoramic view of the things accomplished during the

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Consolation	Liszt
Dancing Spirits	Bohm
Die Meistersinger	Wagner
Farewell to the Piano	Beethoven
Funeral March	Chopin
Gipsy Rondo	Haydn
Wedding March	Mendelssohn
I Love Thee, Opp. 44, No. 3	Grieg
Longing for Home, Opp. 117	Jungmann
Rustle of Spring	Sinding
Mejodie, Op. 8, No. 3	Paderewski
Melody in F	Rubinstein
Murmuring Zephyrs	Jensen
Myrtles, The	Wachs
Pastorale	Hitz
Pizzicati from "Sylvia"	Dellies
Second Valse, Op. 56	Godard
Second Mazurka	Grard
Simple Confession	Thome
Plerette	Chaminade
Spring Song	Mendelssohn
Sylphes, Les	Bachmann
Idilio	Lack
Tarantelle, Op. 85	Heller
Traumerie	Schumann
Under the Leaves	Thome
Valse	Durand
Valse Arabesque, Op. 82	Lack
Valse Lente (from "Coppelia")	Dellies
Beautiful Blue Danube Waltz	Strauss
Capriccio Rusticana, Intermezzo	Masogni
Dance of the Zephyrs	Cone
Dixie Land fine variation's	Lerman
The Flatterer	Chaminade
Flower Song	Lang
La Fontaine	Bohm
The Storm	Weber
Under the Double Eagle, March	Wagner
Remember Me	Brinkman
Over the Waves Mexican Waltz	Rosas
Afterward, Song	Mullen
Good Bye, Song	Tosti
In Old Madrid, Song	Trotore

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past winter in the name, and under the authority of the Charity club.

A complete report would involve a detailed recital of the peculiarities and particulars of each case in which assistance has been extended or denied, and of course, it is needless to be persuaded by a pathetic story, say that such a report could scarcely be embraced in a 10 or 15 minutes talk. Nevertheless, I do feel impelled to say, that while in a general way it is possible to lay down rules and regulations for the conduct of such a work as that in which the Charity club is engaged, and such rules and knowledge of local conditions acquired during the winter, and a larger comprehension of the meaning of the real charity, I could easily, starting over again, accomplish as much good with half the money that has been expended. It costs something to learn things.

There is one point upon which my mind is fully settled and that is that the charity extended by organizations of this kind should always be merely temporary. It is quite the proper thing to do all you can to help people in a permanent way by assisting them to find employment and by encouraging in them a spirit of self reliance but it is altogether wrong to make them pensioners on either private or public charity.

One of the most difficult problems I have encountered this winter, is the question of what to do with the people who heretofore have received regular aid from the Charity club during the past five or six winters. Some of these folks do not hesitate to de-

sire me to make you understand that I fully appreciate the significance of these conditions. Nevertheless I must plead guilty to a tendency toward indiscriminate charity.

Too often during the winter have I said to myself, "It is needless to be persuaded by a pathetic story, only to learn a little later that my confidence in human nature had been grossly deceived.

Standing now at the close of the season's work, I feel no hesitancy in saying that with the more definite

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THE Masquerader

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Author of "The Circle," Etc.

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

CHAPTER XXV.

HAVING taken a definite step in any direction, it was not in Loder's nature to wish it retraced. His face was set, but set with determination, when he closed the outer door of his own rooms and passed quietly down the stairs and out into the silent court. The thought of Chilcoite, his pitiable condition, his solid environments, were things that required a firm will to drive into the background of the imagination; but a whole inferno of such visions would not have daunted Loder on that morning, as, unobserved by any eyes, he left the little courtyard with its grass, its trees, its pavement—all so distastefully familiar—and passed down the Strand toward life and action.

As he walked his steps increased in speed and vigor. Now, for the first time, he fully appreciated the great mental strain that he had undergone in the past ten days—the unnatural tension; the suppressed, but perpetual sense of impending recall; the consequently high pressure at which work and even existence had been carried on. And as he hurried forward the natural reaction to this state of things came upon him in a flood of security and confidence—a strong realization of the temporary respite and freedom for which no price would have seemed too high. The moment for which he had unconsciously lived ever since Chilcoite's first memorable appearance was within reach at last, safeguarded by his own action.

The walk from Clifford's inn to Grosvenor square was long enough to dispel any excitement that his interview had aroused, and long before the well known house came into view he felt sufficiently braced mentally and physically to seek Eva in the morning room, where he instinctively felt she would still be waiting for him.

Thus he encountered and overpassed the obstacle that had so nearly threatened ruin, and, with the singleness of purpose that always distinguished him, he was able, once having passed it, to dismiss it altogether from his mind. From the moment of his return to Chilcoite's house no misgiving as to his own action, no shadow of doubt, rose to trouble his mind. His feelings on the matter were quite simple. He had undoubtedly desired a certain opportunity. One factor had arisen to debar that opportunity, and he, claiming the right of strength, had set the barrier aside. In the simplicity of the reasoning lay its power to convince, and were a touch needed to brace him for his task he was provided with one in the masterful sense of a difficulty set at naught. For the man who has fought and conquered one obstacle feels strong to vanquish a score.

Gradually, as the afternoon wore on, daylight began to fade. Loder, sitting rigidly in Chilcoite's place, watched with suppressed inquiry the faces of the men who entered through the constantly swinging doors, but not one face, so eagerly scanned, carried the message for which he waited. Monotonously and mechanically the time passed. The government, adopting a neutral attitude, carefully skirted all dangerous subjects, while the opposition, acting under Fraide's suggestion, assisted rather than hindered, the programme of postponement. For the moment the eagerly anticipated reassembling threatened dismal failure, and it was with a universal movement of weariness and relief that at last the house rose to dine.

But there are no possibilities so elastic as those of politics. At half past 7 the house rose in a spirit of boredom and disappointment, and at 8 o'clock the lobbies, the dining room, and the entire space of the vast building, was stirred into activity by the arrival of a single telegraphic message.

The new development for which Fraide had waited came indeed, but it came with a force he had little anticipated. With a thrill of awe and consternation he heard and repeated the astounding news that, while personally exercising his authority on behalf of British traders, Sir William Brice-Field, consul general at Meshed, had been fired at by a Russian officer and instantly killed.

(To be Continued.)

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Government by Committee.

An interesting illustration of the familiar fact that the American system of government is a system of government by committee is found in the simple statement that during the two sessions of the Fifty-ninth congress, which adjourned sine die last Monday, 34,565 bills were introduced into either the senate or the house, while only 522 public laws were passed together with 7,629 invalid and private pension acts. Without the intervention of the committees of the two branches congress would be in a continual parliamentary turmoil; and the end of the session would find much less accomplished than is ordinarily achieved, while some bills grossly defective and even dangerous might pass inspection in the heat and confusion of debate.

My Dear Chilcoite—Lakeley is the recipient of special and very vital news from Meshed—unofficial, but none the less alarming. Acts of Russian aggression are to be rapidly increased and it is stated that the authority of the British Legation is to be treated with contempt. Pending a possible confirmation of this, I would suggest that you keep an open mind on the subject of tonight's speech. By adopting an anticipatory—even an unprepared—attitude you may find your hand more easily strengthened. I shall put my opinions before you more explicitly when we meet. Yours faithfully,

HERBERT FRAIDE.

The letter, worded with Fraide's usual restraint, made a strong impression on its recipient. The thought that his speech might not only express opinions already tacitly held, but voice a situation of intense and national importance, struck him with full force. For many minutes after he had grasped the meaning of Fraide's message he sat neglectful of his notes, his elbows resting on the desk, his face between his hands, stirred by the suggestion that here might lie a greater opportunity than any he had anticipated.

Still moved by this new suggestion, he attended the party conclave that Fraide had convened and afterward

TIME IS NOT RIPE FOR FRANCHISE

Uncle Joe Cannon Throws Out Hint to Porto Ricans

Says America Is Watching Progress and Development With View to Citizenship.

SPEECH MADE AT SAN JUAN

San Juan, P. R., March 13.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, after a 65 mile automobile trip over the military road, visited the executive council this afternoon and was given a warm welcome by the delegates. Senator de Diego delivered an address of welcome to the speaker and the accompanying congressmen, who are on the way to the isthmus to inspect the Panama canal. He dwelt on the benefits of self-government on the island and hinted strongly that it was the duty of the United States to grant this without delay.

In replying Mr. Cannon diplomatically suggested that the island was not yet ready to administer its own affairs. He referred to his visit here four years ago and said he was pleased with the progress he observed. In part he said:

"All that government is for is the protection of all the citizens of the government, whether they be strong and powerful or weak. In the United States we call ourselves an Anglo-American population, while in Porto Rico you are of Spanish descent. You pursue your best interests under your changed conditions, and we pursue our best interests under our changed conditions. We are being knit together as by hooks of steel, and your interests are our interests. Your misfortunes, if you have them, will be our misfortunes. If you prosper and we prosper, we prosper together, but if you and we fall we fall together."

Hints Ability Is Not Proved.

"The People of the United States view with great interest the immediate future of the West Indies. Cuba, with greater material wealth than Porto Rico, after four years of prosperity and safe government, has been convulsed with revolution, and the United States, keeping her promise made when the Cuban government was organized, which promise was written in the Cuban constitution, has been compelled to intervene in Cuba."

"Santo Domingo, in a hundred years, has gone from prosperity almost to anarchy, and the United States, by treaty, has promised to collect the revenues of Santo Domingo, so as to prevent the intervention of the nations of the old world. It is to be hoped from this on that there will be a stable government in Santo Domingo."

"Under these conditions the people of the United States look with great interest to the progress of the people of Porto Rico, and they are asking: Is Porto Rico competent for self-government?

"Those who are best informed in the United States point with pride to the material, the educational, and the moral progress that you have made since you became a part of the great republic.

Want Island to Lead Way.

"There is not one citizen in the United States of the eighty-five millions that does not hope and pray that you will demonstrate your capacity for stable government and for self-government, not only on your own account but on our account as well and especially as an example to the neighboring islands that peace, industry and prosperity are possible in one of the islands of the West Indies. This outcome would make bright the star of hope in the breasts of the people of the United States and of the people in the other West Indian islands that those islands may follow the example that you are so nobly setting."

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Should be sunshine in the home, and if you give it the name of Green Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of well-regulated households. A mother can give it to her infant along with a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine that money can buy. Sold by all druggists.

The Reporter's Sigh.

The old reporter gazed raptly into the infinite abyss of heaven, where innumerable words swung in their appointed orbits.

"Wonderful!" he murmured.

"You have a poetic soul," said the fair maiden at his side. "Of what do you think when you gaze at the myriad celestial lights?"

"The miracle," he answered, "that not a single one of 'em is crowded out by lack of space."

He sighed profoundly.—Cleveland Leader.

Some people are so skeptical they even have no faith in their faith.

CUT FLOWERS.

Choice Carnations, per doz. 50¢
Roses, best grade per doz. \$1.00
Annual Hyacinths, white, per doz. 50¢
A choice lot of Azaleas in any color, just beginning to bloom.

Free delivery to any part of the city.

SCHMIDT BROS.
With phone 172.

The difference between relief and cure

All Physics Don't Cure. When a physic is needed, anything that will cleanse the bowels will relieve, but that does not necessarily mean that such treatment will cure. Nearly all purgative waters, candied pellets and sugar coated pills will give temporary relief, but usually at a great cost to the health of the patients.

Such preparations weaken the muscles of the stomach so much that it soon becomes necessary for the patient to take a physic before he can have a proper bowel movement.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin

does not act upon the bowels like most laxatives and cathartics. It contains such wonderful tonic properties that it soon strengthens even the weakest stomach, so it can properly and voluntarily perform its functions.

It is pleasant to take and never causes griping or pains of any sort.

Free sample bottle will be sent upon receipt of postal card request to those who have never tried it.

All druggists sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin at 50¢ and \$1.00 a bottle.

Money back if it doesn't satisfy.

Pepsin Syrup Co. Monticello, Ill.

HANDS IT TO RUEF.

Supreme Court Knocks Out Efforts For Freedom.

San Francisco, Cal., March 13.—"Boss" Abe Ruef was defeated three times today in his efforts to escape trial on the charge of extortion.

First, the state supreme court denied Ruef's application for a writ of prohibition to prevent Judge Dunne from proceeding with the trial pending the disposition of the writ of error to the United States supreme court by Judge Hebbard.

Second, Judge De Haven, of the United States District court refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus and also refused him an appeal to the United States circuit court of appeals.

Attorney Ach, for Ruef, asked if he could take an appeal, and the judge replied:

"Yes, you can take an appeal, but the appeal is denied."

Third, Judge Dunne of the superior court, before whom Ruef's case is now pending, practically decided that Judge Hebbard (his associate in the

superior court) had granted Ruef an appeal to the United States supreme court through trickery and fraud, and that this could not bar Judge Dunne from proceeding with the case.

DON'T COMPLAIN.

If your chest pains and you are unable to sleep because of a cough, buy a bottle of Ballard's Horseradish Syrup and you won't have any cough. Get a bottle now and the cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. J. Galveston, Texas, writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horseradish Syrup. The relief it gives me is all that is necessary for me to ask."

Sold by all druggists.

Visitor—Heavens! Do you keep chickens under the sofa?

Host—I told Sue that wire would make people ask questions. That's to keep Johnny out when she has company.—Dallas News.

ALICE ROOSEVELT'S WEDDING
Was something to be recorded in the annals of history. Herbine has been acknowledged the greatest of liver regulators. A positive cure for Bilious Complaints, Consumption, Colds and Fever and all Liver Complaints. L. C. Smith, Little Rock, Ark., writes: "Herbine is the greatest liver medicine known. Have used it for years. It does the work."

Sold by all druggists.

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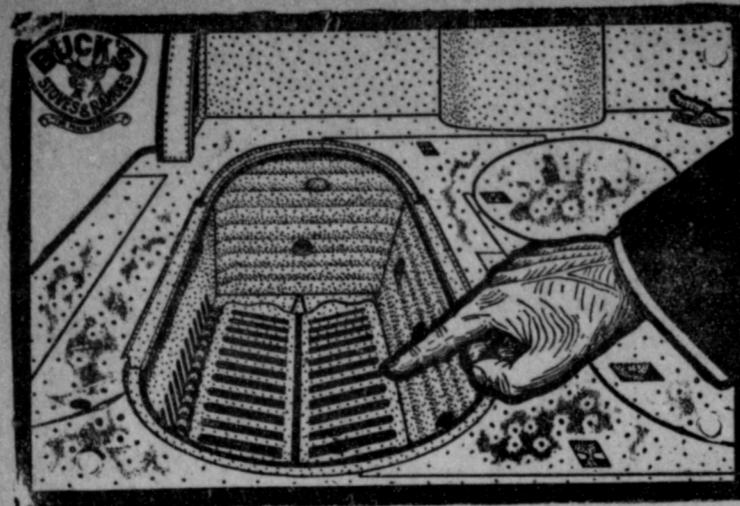
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This company is not responsible for invoice charges unless collected by the clerk of the boat.

Lee Line Steamers

Plying between Memphis, Evansville, Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Vicksburg. Leaves Memphis every Tuesday for Evansville. Louisville and Cincinnati every Wednesday for St. Louis, Memphis and Vicksburg. Pass Paducah going up every Thursday. Pass Paducah going down every Saturday.



This extra wide fire box saves your fuel.

Has it ever occurred to you that your kitchen range is eating up—unnecessarily—many hard-earned dollars?

You can stop this waste—with a Buck's stove.

The extra wide—and comparatively shallow—fire-box—which allows the greatest amount of air to come in contact with the burning fuel—thereby causing a quick and complete combustion—is one of the many distinguishing advantages of a Buck's stove.

There are others—many other advantages which you will be glad to know of. We shall be glad to tell you about them—and our present price and term inducements—today.

A dollar down and a dollar a week will buy one of these splendid stoves. You surely can't afford to miss this chance Take advantage of it today.

Rhodes-Burford Co.

INDICTMENTS

IN CONNECTION WITH BURNING TOBACCO FACTORIES.

William Winter Arrested at Princeton on Bench Warrant—Guarded by Sheriff.

Princeton, Ky., March 13.—Wm. Winter was arrested today on a bench warrant from the circuit court, where he had been indicted on the charge of participating in the burning of tobacco factories in Princeton several months ago. He is being guarded by the sheriff and will try to give bond in the sum of \$1,000 tomorrow. It is understood that several other indictments have been returned in connection with the burning of tobacco factories.

The natives of Kisiba carry coffee beans in bags of dried banana leaves.



Perfect Eyesight

Is possessed by few people. Weak or imperfect eyesight does not necessarily imply that the eyes are sore. Many persons whose eyes are perfectly healthy are in need of glasses to overcome other eye defects.

My experience and special knowledge in the optical line enables me to adjust to the most delicate vision a properly fitted lens.

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CHARGES OF GRAFT.

Said that Pennsylvania Capitol Cost Too Much.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 13.—With charges that some of the decorations in the new state capitol building have been made much more expensive than was called for in the contract while other parts have been omitted entirely, the legislative inquiry into the contract and accounts under which the building was erected was begun today.

The investigation grew out of the allegations made during the last state campaign that there was gross extravagance, overcharges and duplication of items in the ornamentation and equipment of the building. The capitol was built under the direction of a capitol building commission at a cost of \$4,000,000. It was furnished and equipped by the board of public grounds and buildings at a cost of nearly 19,000,000.

The members of the board during the time the contracts were given out were Governor Pennypacker, Auditor General Snyder and State Treasurer Mathews.

The Touch That Heals.
Is the touch of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the happiest combination of Arnica flowers and healing balsams ever compounded. No matter how old the sore or ulcer is, this Salve will cure it. For burns, scalds, cuts, wounds or piles, it's an absolute cure. Guaranteed by all drugists. 25¢.

MORGAN SEES THE PRESIDENT.

Washington, March 13.—J. Pierpont Morgan was in conference with President Roosevelt for two hours last night. The financier came here at the request of certain business men of New York to discuss the business situation, particularly as affecting the railroads. He asked the president to grant an interview to four railroad presidents, which request was granted.

City Engineer's Return.
City Engineer L. A. Washington is expected home from Virginia tomorrow after a visit to his father, and will at once proceed to secure an assistant to succeed Mr. Stanley Miller, resigned. Miller will leave this week for San Francisco where he has accepted an excellent position.

Do not rely upon the "constancy of your customers"—if the other merchant is a better advertiser than you are.

TWO CENTS LESS FOR OPERATORS

Illinois Central Closes Contract for Year's Coal Supply

All Day Session Results in Agreement for \$1.07 1/2 Cents the Ton at Mine.

WILL PURCHASE MORE FUEL.

After conferring all day and part of the evening, west Kentucky coal mine operators and the Illinois Central reached an amicable settlement in regard to the coal contract for the year, commencing April 1. The operators will be paid two cents less this year than they received last year, notwithstanding the fact that a hard fight was made for an increase in proportion to the increased cost of production.

In the late afternoon when it was seen a settlement by the operators in general was impossible, a committee was appointed by the operators as follows: Samuel Sturgis, I. M. Salmon, W. D. McElhaney, I. P. Bernard and Charles Taylor. The committee after supper retired to the Palmer House parlors again and held a conference with Purchasing Agent C. F. Parker and Fuel Agent G. W. Hatter, of the Illinois Central. Following a short discussion the agreement was reached.

Beginning April 1, 1907 the Illinois Central will pay \$1.07 1/2 per ton for coal delivered to the road at the mines. One important item is the agreement of the road to use 300,000 more tons this year than last. Last year 1,042,000 tons of coal were consumed by the road from west Kentucky mines.

Last night and this morning the operators left Paducah for their homes. Messrs. Parker and Hatter continue their trip over the road, completing contracts in other coal producing states.

A Humane Appeal.

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. U. D. Williams, 107 West Main St., says: "I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietor's recommendation." It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as cough and cold cure the world over. Cures asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness, and phthisis, stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at all druggists, 50¢ and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Sensational Election May 14.
Madison, Wis., March 13.—Two important developments in the senatorial situation today were the arrival of Isaac Stephenson, of Marinette, and the giving out of an official opinion by Attorney General Gilbert that the election of a successor to Senator Spooner cannot safely proceed until May 14, as the resignation does not go into effect until May 1.

For Sale.

Farm near Guthrie, Ky., fine tobacco producer, seven tobacco barns, eight tenant houses, four acres orchard, eighty acres timber. New 11 room house with large cellar, finished with best material and having every convenience possible for country home. Also six room house built in 1906. Price on whole \$21,200 or will divide to suit purchase. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Building.

NOW OPEN!

5c SHOW

The KOZY Electric Theater

Strictly moral and one of the most instructive entertainments in existence. Pictures will be changed regularly on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Parents need not hesitate at sending their children unattended, as the manager, Mr. Louis Farrell, will give them his personal attention.

Now Open at 417 Broadway, Two Doors from Palmer House.

OPEN FROM 10 A. M. TO 11 P. M.
STRICTLY A 5-CENT SHOW.

School children admitted free between 4 and 5 o'clock Thursday and Friday afternoon.

GUY N. COLGATE AND LOUIS FARRELL, OWNERS.

OUR FIRST SHOWING

In swell spring styles in Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes now ready. All that's new and strictly up to date we have.

See our Men's \$15.00 Suits



SPECIAL

Boys' Knee Pants, 4 to 16 years, we offer at the special price

19c

These are splendid values, being well made and just the thing for school.

Little Fellows' Suits, ranging in size from 7 to 14 years. Special for

98c

These are a lot of spring weight samples which would actually sell for \$1.50 to \$2.50. Don't miss these.

FOR YOUR BOY—We have 64 patterns of boys' fine coats, consisting of double and single breasted and made up in the very latest styles, and which formerly sold for \$1.50 to \$3.00; to dispose of this lot we have placed them on sale for

49c

Men's Fine Madras Shirts, the regular 75c quality, with or without collars.

48c

SPECIAL

Crossett \$5, \$4, \$3.50 Shoes

We have put the price--\$2.69--on all the broken lots of Crossett's fine \$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Shoes, consisting of Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Box Calf and Vici Kid, both in lace and button, they go for

\$2.69



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312 BROADWAY

WE SAVE YOU MONEY ON EVERY PURCHASE

Charges Three Thousand Dollars Up To Lesson Learned From Dan Cupid

To one lesson from Cupid . . . \$6,000.

Chicago, March 13.—That will probably be the entry of William Wambaugh 51 years old and a rancher of Lukon, Col., when he balances his books on his return home.

Mr. Wambaugh, who charged up \$3,000 to Dan Cupid's account last week, added another \$3,000 to the score yesterday, when his bride of three days got that sum from him to aid her in purchasing a hat. Neither she, the hat nor the money has since been seen by the bereft bridegroom, who sought consolation from the sympathetic police.

The other \$3,000 which Mr. Wambaugh has disbursed through Cupid's persuasions also went into the purse of Mrs. Wambaugh, then, however, not married. As Miss Sophie Finlan 28 years old, of Denver and Chicago, she got the first three thousand when the fiancee of Mr. Wambaugh.

They Are Wedded.

The rancher gave her that sum in Denver early last week. They then came to Chicago, where Miss Finlan was arrested on the charge of swindling him out of the amount. The meshes of the law, however, he softened and forthwith married her Friday in Municipal Judge Fiske's court.

All went merrily until yesterday. Then Mrs. Wambaugh suggested to William that it would be well for him to add further adornments—specifically a new pair of trousers—to his equipment. With the shaft of Cupid still barbing his heart Mr. Wambaugh consented.

Bride and groom entered a department store. Trousers of many hues, patterns and prices were produced. Sophie selected a pair.

"Try these on, dear," she said. "While you are doing so I will go and get a hat."

After a little further talk Mr. Wam-

Women Railway Employees.

The number of women employed on the Russian railway is increasing. According to the latest returns, there are now working on the twenty-five Russian state railways no fewer than 22,000 women as gatekeepers, clerks, telegraphers, etc. The average wage varies from 130 to 135 rubles yearly (\$65 to \$70). The ex-

tremes are great. Thus, the women clerks receive on an average from 450 to 460 rubles, or about \$230, while the women attending at the station are paid only 40 rubles, or about \$19.50 a year, in addition to free lodging and a few extras.

It's often a matter of an hour when a woman says "Wait a minute."

PAY DAY SPECIAL

FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 15



This Twelve-Piece Kitchen Shower

ONLY 27c ONLY

BEGINNING promptly at 9 o'clock Friday morning we will sell this 12-piece Kitchen Shower, ordinarily sold for 60 cents everywhere—one only to a customer—for 27c a set. This shower will be a welcome addition to any kitchen—something which any housekeeper will value. Each article is substantial and well made and would sell for 5 cents at any store.

No Telephone Orders Taken.

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